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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION OF:

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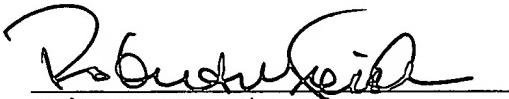
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WITH IMPROVED VOLTAGE
REVERSAL TOLERANCE

GROUP ART UNIT: 1745

EXAMINER: Not assigned

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, the applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, dated October 13, 2000. A Response To Notice To File Missing Parts is submitted herewith.

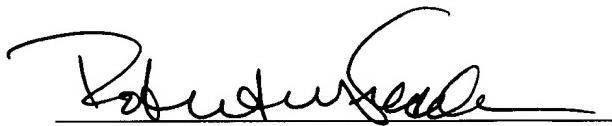
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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for an extension of time in the first month (large entity). Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,



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